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MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the lateſt Advices foreign and domeſtic.

THURSDAY, *May* 13, 1762.

To the PRINTERS.

GENTLEMEN,

AS the Scarcity of Specie in the Province, makes a Paper Currency abſolutely requiſite, for the Conveniency of carrying on Trade, and the mutual Dealings of Individuals, I offer, a plain, ſimple, eaſy Scheme, for ſupplying the Want of Specie: If you find it worthy a Place in your Paper, 'tis offered, with a View of promoting the Intereſt of the Province in general, and may at leaſt be a Mean of inducing ſome abler Hand to offer a better.

I propoſe, that 150,000 *l.* Currency ſhall be ſtruck, and iſſued, by paying to each Taxable 3 *l.* (the Number of Taxables in the Province, being computed to amount to 50,000).

That the Bills ſo iſſued ſhall paſs Current in all Payments.

As a Fund for paying, and ſinking this Paper Currency, it is propoſed, that each Taxable ſhall pay yearly, and have added to his Public Levy, 3 *s.* being 5 *per Cent.* of the 3 *l.* lent him, which clears the Whole in 20 Years Time.

That as this annual Payment brings in yearly 7500 *l.* this Sum ſhall be annually lent out, at 4 *per Cent.* in any Sum not exceeding 500 *l.* Currency.

That the Commiſſioners in this Loan Office, ſhall be tied down to lend to none, but ſuch as have a landed Eſtate, double the Value of the Sum borrowed, free of all Incumbrances.

To aſcertain this, that they ſhall have the Opinion of the Judge of Court, and Four of the Magiſtrates, of the County where the Borrower has his landed Eſtate.

That to inſure the Public in being repaid; the Bond, for the Sum borrowed, ſhall have the Effect of a Statute or Judgment Bond, and have a Preference to be paid, before any other Debt, both out of the Borrower's perſonal and real Eſtate.

As a further Security to the Public, that it ſhall be provided by Act of Aſſembly, that the Sum borrowed, ſhall affect, and be as much a Burthen on the landed Eſtate, as if mortgaged for that Sum.

That the Purchaſer of any ſuch Eſtate, ſhall be liable for the Payment of the Sum borrow'd.

That to ſecure the Purchaſer, Liſts of the Debtors in every County, ſhall from Time to Time be ſent the reſpective County Clerks, and every Perſon impowered to ſee the Liſt upon paying the Clerk ſix Pounds of Tobacco.

That if each Year's Intereſt be not paid in, by the Borrower, in Half a Year after due, his Bond ſhall directly be put in Suit; and if not recovered in two Years after due, the Commiſſioners ſhall be liable and accountable as if paid up.

That the yearly Intereſt of the Sums, ſo annually lent out, ſhall be, by Direction of the Aſſembly, laid out in helping to pay the Public Charge of the Province, or for ſuch other Public Uſes, as the Aſſembly ſhall think proper.

And laſtly, that the Aſſembly ſhall bind the whole Province to the paying off the Bills, ſo iſſued, at Expiration of 20 Years, in Gold and Silver, at the Rates ſettled in the Tobacco Act.

I ſhall hint at the Advantages that the Public would naturally reap, by putting this Scheme in Execution:

1*ſt.* Every Taxable would, for 20 Years, have the Uſe of 3 *l.* without any Intereſt, and have that Debt inſenſibly paid, by paying only a 20th Part yearly.

2*d.* Whoever had Occaſion for borrowing Money, would find it eaſier to deal with the Loan-Office, than with a private Lender, as in the firſt his Lands would be taken as Surety, in the other he behoved to trouble thoſe, who had no Concern or Intereſt in the Affair, to bind along with him.

This annual Sum to be lent out, would naturally ſoon reduce Intereſt to 4 *per Cent.* which might induce the monied People to apply their Caſh to Trade, rather than put up with ſuch low Intereſt; and their purchaſing with ready Caſh, would gain the Province at leaſt 10 *per Cent.* as it is a certain Fact, that ready Caſh would procure *Engliſh* Goods 10 *per Cent.* cheaper, than purchaſing with a Year's Credit.

To enforce this further, every Merchant knows that what raiſed the Trade of *Holland*, to ſuch a high Pitch, was their ſettling the Intereſt of Money at 2½ *per Cent.* which had the very Effect above hinted at.

In one Word, every Individual would gain by ſuch an eaſy Loan, and the Reducing their public Levy, by the Intereſt of the annual Sum lent, the Public would gain by having a ſufficient Currency to anſwer the Country, and Trade gain, by hitching into a ready Money Trade, by the Sums that would be employed in it as above hinted at; and the Credit of the Currency fully ſecured by the public Security given.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your moſt humble Servant,
ZEDEKIAH HOMMONY, Planter.

LONDON, *January* 19.

Extract of a Letter from Weymouth, dated Jan. 13.

YESTERDAY was loſt on Portland Beach a Frigate belonging to the King of France, her Name La Zenobie, Captain Deſage, from Havre-de-Grace, mounted 22 Guns, Nine Pounders, and 210 Men, out of which about 70 are ſaved; the Captain is drowned. She was pierced for 26 Guns, and had 6 Months Proviſions on board; ſhe was judged to be bound on a Cruize to Hiſpaniola, and ſailed from Havre-de-Grace laſt Sunday.

Extract of a Letter from Minehead, Jan. 16.

"The Ship Lovely Peggy, Thomas Vavaſor, Commander, from Jamaica to London, laden with Rum, Sugar, Ginger, Pimento, &c. was found in this Channel, without any living Creature on board except ſome Parrots, and ſuch like, and was brought into this Port the 14th inſtant. It appears that ſhe ſailed from Jamaica under Convoy of the Ferret, and it is to be hoped the Crew have been taken up by ſome other Veſſel, as there is no apparent Sign of their having been waſhed overboard. She had about eight Feet Water in her Hold, and it is ſuppoſed the lower Tier of Sugar is waſhed out."

Feb. 1. The Preſs for manning the Ships that are going on the ſecret Expedition is carried on with great Vigour; and the Conſtables, by ſearching Houſes of bad Repute in the out Parts of the Town, have procured a conſiderable Number of able Men for his Majeſty's Service.

Upwards of 20,000 Beds, &c. are making in the greateſt Hurry imaginable for the Service of the Forces going on ſeveral Expeditions.

French Troops, to the Amount of 30,000 Men, are ſaid to be in March along the Flemiſh Coaſt.

Feb. 11. One hundred thouſand Stand of ſmall Arms are ſhipping from the Tower, with every Neceſſary thereto belonging; to complete which, the proper Officers are employed in taking down a great Number of Piſtols, Carbines, &c. from the ſmall Armory in the Tower.

February 18. Many People ſeem to be under great Apprehenſions that Jamaica will be in imminent Danger, ſhould the French and Spaniards join and make an Attack on that valuable Iſland. Indeed a Quixot Scheme of this Nature may be attempted, but a Conqueſt of ſo large an Iſland muſt take up much Time; and while the Enemy are employed in it, they muſt leave but few People to defend the Iſland of St. Domingo: And it is in the Power of Great Britain to ſend a Squadron to that Part of the World, ſuperior to the Enemy, with Land Forces. Add to this that we have a large Squadron at Martinico, with at leaſt 16,000 Men, including the Weſt-India Volunteers, who, in all Probability, have ere now effected their Buſineſs at that Place: Half the Troops, and eight or ten Sail of Men of War, may then join the Troops and Squadron from England, which no Force of the Spaniards is able to withſtand. That the Iſland of St. Domingo is unable to defend itſelf againſt 18 or 20,000 regular Troops is very manifeſt; the Gentlemen concerned in the Sugar Trade are therefore ſo far from being depreſſed on this Occaſion, that with Pleaſure they imagine they ſee the total Subverſion of the French Sugar Trade, which is out of the Power of the French to prevent, provided the People in Ireland and North-America act as Friends to their Mother-Country, by not ſupplying the Enemy with Proviſions.

By the laſt Accounts received from Ferrol, it appears that there are in that Harbour 21 Sail of Spaniſh Men of War, all well manned and armed, which, with thoſe lately arrived there from Breſt, make 28 Sail of the Line, beſides Frigates, &c. It is ſaid likewiſe, in the ſame Account, that the above Armament is intended againſt Ireland.

Extract of a Letter from Portſmouth, Feb. 17.

"Came to Town 200 French Priſoners from Wincheſter, who have enliſted into his Majeſty's Service."

BASSETERRE, (in St. Chriſtophers,) April 7.

Admiral Rodney has ſent Sir James Douglas to Jamaica, with ten Ships of the Line and a few Frigates, and Admiral Pocock is hourly expected to follow him.

Capt. Joel informs us, that 11 Spaniſh Veſſels, moſtly laden, have been taken and carried into St. Chriſtophers; the 9th Inſtant Accounts were received from Martinico, that ſeveral Spaniſh Veſſels from Europe had been taken and carried into that Iſland.

Charles-Town (South-Carolina) April 21.

A Letter in the St. Chriſtophers Gazette, of the 3d Inſtant, ſays, "That three Expeditions were fitting out at Portſmouth, one of which, it is publickly ſaid, is deſtined againſt the Havannah."

About 45 of the Privateers that were fitted out from Martinico are among the Neutral Iſlands, and continue to make a good many Captures, which they carry into St. Thomas's, St. Croix, St. Euſtatius, &c.

BOSTON, *April* 26.

We can now aſſure our Readers, from the beſt Authority, that on the 5th of March the Granades ſurrendered to his Majeſty's Troops under General Monckton, on the ſame Terms with Martinico, and the Troops had taken Poſſeſſion of St. Lucia, St. Vincent and Tobago, the former of which Places capitulated.

We hear from Newport, in Rhode-Iſland, that on Tueſday laſt died there Mr. JAMES FRANKLIN, of that Place, Printer.

PHILADELPHIA, *May* 6.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman at Martinico, to his Correſpondent in Philadelphia, dated St. Pierres, Feb. 28, 1762.

The Conqueſt of this Iſland is certainly the moſt extraordinary one that has been made this War; whether we conſider it in Reſpect of the Strength of the Country, the Opulence of its Inhabitants, or the Manner in which it was taken. For eight or ten Days the Enemy were baffled, harraſſed and alarmed with feigned Motions; they knew not where the Attack would be made, and therefore were weak in Regard of Men in all Places; at length the Troops were landed cloſe under their Noſes, without their daring to obſtruct them. Every Inch of Ground is ſo very ſtrong around Fort-Royal, that a Week was found abſolutely neceſſary to reconnoitre it; during this Interval, however, the Enemy led a moſt diſagreeable Life, lying on their Arms every Night, expecting the Aſſault every Minute, and harraſſed to Death by the Bombs of the Fleet, two of which kept playing

on their Lines inceſſantly. On the 24th ult. at Five in the Morning, the General gave the Orders for a general Attack of their Lines, marching himſelf at the Head of the Grenadiers. Neither Strength of Ground, Numbers, or Artillery, could avail the Enemy againſt the Valour of the Troops, and the excellent Diſpoſition made by the General, who expoſed his Perſon to the utmoſt Danger, as the Grenadiers, whom he never quitted, bore the heavieſt Part of the Action; yet every individual Corps diſtinguiſhed itſelf this Day, beating the Enemy from Hill to Hill, from Battery to Battery, croſſing the moſt frightful Gullies and Precipices, and, in a Word, purſuing the broken Runaways into their ſtrong Works at Monte-Granier and the Citadel. You have no Doubt had a Liſt of the Killed and Wounded of this Day; on our Side they amounted to about 300 only, the Loſs of the French was never rightly known. From this Time till the 27th, The General had his Head-Quarters within Half Cannon Shot of their Poſt on Monte-Granier. On the 27th the Enemy took the bold Reſolution of attacking our Lines, which ended in their total Ruin, for our brave Troops not only repulſed them with Slaughter, but continued the Purſuit till they had beat them out of their own Works, regardleſs of their Breaſtworks and Batteries, and at Ten o'Clock at Night took Poſſeſſion of the Bulwark of Martinico, from whence I am poſitive all the Troops of France will never beat them by Force of Arms. From this Night we may date the Conqueſt of Martinico, for there was nothing like Defence afterwards; their Citadel held out but 5 Days; the different Quarters or Diſtricts of the Iſland ſubmitted for themſelves, one by one, till at laſt M. La Touche found himſelf under the Neceſſity to capitulate for the whole Iſland; in Conſequence of which, the Grenadiers of the Army took Poſſeſſion of St. Pierres, and the Grand Redoubt in the Mountains where all their valuable Effects and Women and Children were lodged, on the 16th Inſtant; thus finiſhing a Conqueſt which, I hope, will continue Britiſh as long as their Arms ſhall give Law to both Worlds. It is needleſs for me to ſay any Thing in Regard of General Monckton's Conduct and Character, as you know him perſonally ſo much longer than I have had that Honour; I ſhall only obſerve, that ſo fit a Perſon could ſcarcely have been found for this Service, his remarkable Diſintereſtedneſs obliging the conquered Inhabitants to love and revere him as much in Peace, as his Courage and Steadineſs made them fear him in War.——

We have Advice from Cape-Francois, that two Merchant Frigates, richly laden, having Cargoes on board valued at Twelve Hundred Thouſand Livres each, bound to Old France, were both taken by his Majeſty's Ship Boreas, Capt. Uvedale, and carried to Jamaica: That three or four Engliſh Veſſels have been lately taken, and carried into the Cape, one of which a Polacco, belonging to New-York, and another from Liverpool: That the French Men of War arrived there, as mentioned in our laſt, are in very bad Order, and ill found: And that as a great many French Merchantmen were at that Place, it was thought they would be immediately loaded, and proceed Home, under Convoy of the King's Ships.

Yeſterday Captain Smith arrived here in nine Weeks from Portſmouth, by whom we have Papers to the 22d of February; from which we have extracted all that is material, and is as follows, viz.

That Admiral Saunders, with his whole Squadron, was cruiſing off of Cadiz, with Orders to act offenſively: That the ſecond Expedition on Foot, was to conſiſt of 12 Men of War of the Line, five Frigates, two Fireſhips, and a Bomb, with about 6000 Land Forces: That by Letters from Copenhagen, that Court, before the Death of the Czarina, was on the Point of entering into a Treaty with thoſe of London and Berlin, his Daniſh Majeſty having agreed to the Propoſal made to him, to furniſh the King of Pruſſia with 12,000 Men, to reinforce Prince Henry's Army in Saxony: That the Honourable Colonel Howe, and ſeveral other Officers, appointed to go on a ſecret Expedition, were ſet out for Portſmouth: That a Deſign had been diſcovered of blowing up the Magazine at Portſmouth, and ſeveral Perſons taken up that were concerned in the wicked Attempt: That Advice, it was ſaid, was received from Spain that all the Britiſh Ships that were ſtopped in their Ports, are ordered to be releaſed; and that all the Merchants Effects, &c. are alſo releaſed, and the Embargo intirely taken off.

"That it was expected Admiral Saunders would attack Cadiz, which, it was thought, would not be a very difficult Conqueſt; and that if Cadiz was taken, all the Ships of War in the Carraccas muſt be deſtroyed, or fall into our Hands, and likewiſe all the Naval Stores in that Royal Yard: That the Grand Expedition, ſome thought, was deſigned againſt La Vera Cruz; but others, that it was certainly deſtined for the Havannah; and that the Earl of Albemarle, Col. Keppel, and Commodore Kepple, were to command the Land Forces; ſo that from the united Efforts of three gallant Brothers, that Succeſs might be expected againſt Cuba, which the brave Admiral Vernon was not able to obtain the laſt War, from the Diſunion of a divided Command: That the Expedition Fleet was victualled for the Weſt-Indies, and ordered to be got ready by the Firſt of March: That Spain declared War againſt England in Form the 18th of January: That the Neapolitan Reſident, at the Court of Great-Britain, had declared, by Order, that his Maſter's Deſire was to remain neuter; and that he did not accede to the Bourbon Family Treaty with Spain.

"That Sir Robert Keith, the Britiſh Miniſter at Peterſburgh, had intimated how advantageous it would be for both Nations to renew the Treaty of Commerce ſubſiſting between them: That from Havelberg, News had been received, that a Suſpenſion of Arms was ſolemnly proclaimed, by Sound of Trumpet, and under a Diſcharge of all the Artillery, between the Troops of his Imperial Majeſty of all the Ruſſias, and thoſe of the King of Pruſſia: That the Grand Signior had demanded a Paſſage thro' Poland for a numerous Army, that is to march to the Aſſiſtance of the Pruſſian King: That His Pruſſian Majeſty had received a Letter from the Emperor of the Ruſſias, couched in very friendly Terms, and quite different from thoſe uſed betwixt two Sovereigns at War with each other: That by ſome Letters from Madrid and Liſbon, the Court of Spain had conſented to the Neutrality of Portugal: That the Gentlemen of the Britiſh Factory at Peterſburgh had the Honour of being preſented to their Imperial Majeſties, when they were received in the moſt gracious Manner, and aſſured of his Protection: That the King of Pruſſia has named Count de Schwerin to go to Peterſburgh, and congratulate the Grand Duke upon his Acceſſion to the Ruſſian Empire; had given Orders for releaſing all the Ruſſian Priſoners without Ranſom; and that a Ceſſation of Hoſtilities had been ſettled between the Ruſſian and Pruſſian Troops in Pomerania: That the Earl of Albemarle, and the other General Officers, going on the Grand Expedition, had arrived at Portſmouth; as was Admiral Pocock, who had hoiſted his Flag on board the Namur: And that a Number of new Men of War were building, and Privateering going on with the greateſt Spirit."

Captain Smith ſailed with the Weſt-India Fleet, under Convoy of two Ships of the Line, of 64 and 74 Guns; the whole making about 200 Sail.

Yeſterday the Privateer Brig New Grace, Capt. Taylor, Commander, fell down in order to proceed on a Cruize.

The Schooner Hawke, Capt. Archbold, is alſo fitting out, and will ſail in a few Days.

We have now building a fine Ship of 94 Feet Keel, for a Privateer, to be commanded by Capt. Appowen.

ANNAPOLIS, *May* 13.

We are informed by a Gentleman, who left *Philadelphia* laſt Saturday Afternoon, that as he was coming away, the *New-York* Poſt came in, and brought an Account of the Reinſtation of Mr. *PITT*.

About a Fortnight ago, died in *Philadelphia*, of a Conſumption, the Rev. Mr. *Theophilus Swift*, Rector of *Port-Tobacco* Pariſh, in *Charles* County.

About three Weeks ago, *John Allen*, who lived on the North Side of *Severn*, was barbarouſly murdered by one *Aggleton*, near *Patapſco* Ferry, in *Baltimore* County. It ſeems *Aggleton* was a Deſerter, who was then employed in cutting of Wood for the Iron-Works, near the Road Side, and as *Allen* was going to a Plantation, he went up to him, and enquired the Way thither; the other left his Work, and went with him about 20 Yards, and then with an Axe ſplit his Skull to Pieces, and afterwards threw his Body behind a Parcel of Wood, which he had piled up, where it was found a few Days after. The Murderer (with his Wife, and three Children) has ſince abſconded, and is not yet apprehended.

Laſt Week, at a Special Court held at *Frederick-Town*, *Richard Croſby*, alias *Dew*, was tried, convicted, and received Sentence of Death, for ſhooting Mr. *Wirt*.

This Morning arrived here, in 16 Days from *St. Kitt's*, the Sloop *Mary-Anne*, Capt. *Nathaniel Cooper*; who informs us, That Admiral *Pocock*, with a Number of Men of War, and Troops, was arrived at *Barbados*.

LIEUTENANT Colonel *John Dagworthy* having, in Purſuance of a Warrant from his Excellency Sir *Jeffery Amherſt*, Lieutenant General and Commander in Chief of all his Majeſty's Forces on this Continent, received from *Abraham Mortier*, Eſq; Deputy Paymaſter General, Eighteen Thouſand and Twenty five and One Half Dollars, to pay off the Arrears of Pay due to the Officers and Men, who compoſed the *Maryland* Troops, from the Eighth Day of *October*, Seventeen Hundred and Fifty-ſeven, until they were diſbanded or diſmiſſed: Notice is hereby given, That Lieutenant Colonel *John Dagworthy*, and Doctor *David Roſs*, will attend at Mr. *Middleton*'s in *Annapolis*, during the ſecond Week in *July* next, and at *Queen's-Town* in *Queen-Anne's* County, during the fourth Week of the ſame Month, to pay the Money abovementioned to the ſeveral Officers and Soldiers to whom the ſame is due, or to their Aſſignees or Repreſentatives: Wherefore, all Perſons who ſerved in the *Maryland* Troops, and all Perſons, who, by Virtue of Aſſignments from the Officers or Men, or who by any other Means, have a Right to receive any Part of the Arrears due to the ſaid Troops, are deſired to make their reſpective Claims at the Places and Times, and to the Gentlemen, abovementioned.

By Order of his Excellency the Governor,
J. Ross, Cl. Con.

THOSE who ſurvive of the Officers that ſerved in the *Maryland* Troops, and the Repreſentatives of ſuch as are dead, are deſired to meet at *Annapolis*, on Tueſday the Sixth Day of *July* next, in order that their ſeveral Accounts with each other, and with the Men who ſerved under their Command, may be adjuſted.

JOHN DAGWORTHY,
DAVID ROSS.

ALL thoſe who are indebted to the Eſtate of Mrs. *Anne Allingham*, deceaſed, are deſired to make immediate Payment; and thoſe who have any juſt Claims againſt the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to bring them in, that they may be adjuſted, by

THOMAS CHITTAM,
ANDREW BEALL, } Executors.

Annapolis, May 12, 1762.

SOME Time ago I lent my SADDLE to a Gentleman, whoſe Name I cannot now recollect: As I am in Want of it, I take this Method to requeſt the Gentleman to return it as ſoon as poſſible. WILLIAM PACA.

WANTED,

A LAD of about 15 or 16 Years of Age, who can Read and Write, as a Servant. He muſt be bound for Five Years. Cloaths, Board, and all Neceſſaries, will be given him. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*.

WANTED for Two Years, a Negro Boy about 14 Years old, to wait on a Gentleman. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*.

NOW in the Poſſeſſion of the Subſcriber, and has been ever ſince laſt Provincial Court, a Sorrel Mare about 13 Hands high, paces a travelling Gait, has a Flaxen Mane and Tail, branded on the near Shoulder with the Letter M reverſed, and on the near Buttock with an M.

Whoever proves his Property to the ſaid Mare, may have her again, paying the Charge of advertiſing. HENRY GASSAWAY.

May 2, 1762.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the Subſcriber's Dwelling Plantation, in *St. Mary's* County, about the Firſt of *April*, a Dark Bay Mare about 13 Hands high, ſhe has a Bob Tail, her Mane grows on the wrong Side, and ſhe is branded on the near Buttock thus ( ).

Whoever will contrive the ſaid Mare, or ſecure her ſo as the Subſcriber may have her again, ſhall have Fifteen Shillings Reward, paid by MARY MCGILL.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Charles Croxall*, in *Baltimore* County, taken up as Strays, a ſmall Grey Mare, and a Colt belonging to her; neither dock'd nor branded.

The Owner may have them again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

May 9, 1762.

SUPPOSED to be Stolen by a Soldier, on the 29th of *September* laſt, from the Subſcriber in *Anne-Arundel* County, near Mr. *Snowden*'s Iron-Works, a likely Dark Bay Horſe, 4 Years old in *June* next, full 14 Hands high when taken away, not any white about him, branded on the off Shoulder with two ſmall Keys, laid acroſs each other, not quite plain, has a Sprig Tail, hanging Mane, a full Buttock pretty ſteep, a large Head, he paces not quite naturally, and goes pretty wide behind.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, or informs the Owner, ſo as he may be had again, ſhall have Three Pounds Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by BENJAMIN GAITHER.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Samuel Prather*, in *Prince-George*'s County, taken up as a Stray, a Dark Bay Mare about 14 Hands high, a ſmall Star in her Forehead, but no perceivable Brand.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

To be SOLD for ready Money or ſhort Credit,

CHOICE *Madeira* and *Liſbon* WINES, in Pipes, Hogſheads, and Quarter Caſks, coarſe and fine Salt, Barrell'd Pork, and *Muſcovado* Sugar by the Barrel or larger Quantity.

THOMAS RICHARDSON and Company.

DOVE, a beautiful Dark Grey Horſe, full 15 Hands high, was imported from *Scotland* laſt *November*, by Dr. *Thomas Hamilton*, at whoſe Plantation he now is, in *Prince-George's* County, *Maryland*, Will Cover Mares this Seaſon at Six Piſtoles; and thoſe Mares that prove not with Foal, ſhall have the Benefit of the Horſe next Seaſon, *Gratis* (or one Half of the Money returned). He was bred by Mr. *Thomas Jackſon*, ſenior, in the North of *England*, was got by *Young Cade*, his Dam by *Teaſer*, his Grand-dam by *Scawing*'s *Arabian*, and out of the *Gardener* Mare, that won Six Royal Plates of One Hundred Guineas each. He run at *Newcaſtle* upon *Tyne* at Four Years old, on the 21ſt of *October*, 1760, and Diſtanced the Duke of *Cleveland*'s Roan Filly, *Roxana*, beat the Bay Colt *Swift*, belonging to *William Swinburn*, Eſq; *Charles Wilſon*'s Bay Colt *Windleſs*, *William Cornforth*'s Bay Colt *Montreal*, and *Setleington*'s Bay Filly *Nameleſs*. As to his Blood, it is indiſputable, and his Beauty alſo among Judges.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, Purſuant to the Laſt Will of Mr. Benjamin Boyd, *at his late Dwelling-Houſe, near* Queen-Anne, *in* Prince-George's *County, on Thurſday the 20th of this Inſtant* May, *for Sterling Money, Bills of Exchange, or Dollars and Piſtoles at the Current Exchange,*

A PARCEL of likely valuable NEGROES, conſiſting of Men, Women, and Children; among which are a Cooper and Carpenter.

As alſo all his Houſhold Furniture, and Stock of every Kind.

THOMAS BOYD, ABRAHAM BOYD, } Executors.

N. B. The Subſcribers will give good Wages to a Journeyman Blackſmith.

ALL Perſons who are inclin'd to Enliſt themſelves in the *Virginia* Regiment, may depend on having the beſt Encouragement, by applying to Lieutenant *Philip Love*, who is now in this Province, and gives Ten Pounds this Currency to each Recruit, which Recruit has Eight Pence *Virginia* Currency *per* Day, from the Time of his Enliſtment, till he is diſcharged the Service; he is alſo to be, at his joining the Regiment, compleatly Cloathed from Head to Foot, and furniſhed with all Neceſſaries, requiſite for a Gentleman Soldier, at the Colony's Expence. Thoſe who can't readily meet with me, are deſired to apply to Mr. *Arthur Charlton* or Capt. *Price* in *Frederick-Town*, to Mr. *Davis*, Tavern-keeper in *Frederick* County, or to Mr. *Charles Love* near *Allen's-Freſh* in *Charles* County; any of thoſe Gentlemen will Enliſt for me, and give good Quarters, until I have an Opportunity of ſeeing them myſelf.

PHILIP LOVE.

April 24, 1762.

CARRIED and Delivered to ſome Perſons in a Boat in *Annapolis* Dock, by Miſtake, a Portmanteau Trunk, containing ſome Linen, Hoſe, and Wearing Apparel. The Perſons in whoſe Hands the ſaid Trunk is fallen, are deſired to carry the ſame to Captain *James Reith* near the Dock, who will amply Reward them for their Honeſty and Trouble.

THE following Fifteen Tickets in the *George-Town* Lottery, *viz.* N°. 1221 to N°. 25, and N°. 1266 to N°. 75, Sign'd *James Pearce*, were lodged in the Hands of *Robert Sterling*, late of *George-Town*, by the Subſcriber and Others, on a Wager. Mr. *Sterling* ſays the Tickets are loſt or miſlaid. Any Perſon who may have got them, are deſired to return them, and the Managers are forewarned not to pay any Prize or Prizes which the ſaid Tickets may draw, to any Perſon but me, as the Tickets are not accounted for.

GEORGE PEARCE.

THE Subſcriber has a new Schooner Boat, well fitted, with good Accommodations for Paſſengers, to go any where in the Bay, and will carry Goods at reaſonable Rates. She will carry Five Hundred Buſhels of Grain.

He likewiſe carries on the SILVER and GOLD SMITH's BUSINESS in all it's Branches; and has a very good Hand for making MOURNING RINGS, as cheap as they can be had from *London*.

He gives the beſt Prices for old Gold and Silver.

JAMES CHALMERS.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Perſons in *Virginia* and *Maryland* who are indebted to Mr. *Thomas Knox* of the City of *Briſtol*, Merchant, or to him in Partnerſhip with any Perſon or Perſons, not to pay any of their Debts but to Mr. *Benjamin Waller* or Mr. *John Wayles*, in *Virginia*.

Matthew Hale, *Iſaac Elton*, *Thomas Whitehead*, *Thomas Deane*, *Samuel Smith*, *William Miller*, *Edward Garlick*, } Aſſignees.

May 3, 1762.

THREE PISTOLES REWARD.

RAN away laſt Night from the Subſcriber, living at *Weſt-River*, a Convict Servant Man named *William Lindley*, who probably may pretend to be a Gardener, was born in *England*, and ſpeaks pretty broad, about Five Feet Eight or Nine Inches high, of a dark Complexion, and wears his own Hair. Had on when he went away, a light grey Half-thick Coat, new Check Shirt, Brown Roll Trowſers, old channell'd Pumps, and a half-worn Felt Hat; he alſo took with him, a Pair of new Oſnabrigs Trowſers.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Runaway, ſo that his Maſter may have him again, ſhall be entitled to the above Reward; and if brought home, reaſonable Charges, paid by

STEPHEN STEWARD.

May 1, 1762.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Subſcriber living in *Charles-Town*, *Cæcil* County, on the Evening of the 7th ult. a middle ſized Sorrel Horſe, with a Blaze in his Face, 7 or 8 Years old this Graſs, his two hind Feet white, paces and hand-gallops, was ſhod all round, and the Shoes much worn, was lately trimmed, but very ill done, no perceivable Brand. Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, and brings him to Capt. *Catto* at the Head of *Elk*, or the Subſcriber in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have a Reward of Three Pounds Currency: If ſtolen, any Perſon apprehending or diſcovering the Thief, ſo as he be brought to Juſtice, ſhall have a Reward of Six Pounds Currency.

FRANCIS KEY.

Calvert County, *April* 13, 1762.

STOLEN from the Subſcriber, on the 30th of *March* laſt, a ſmall Light Grey Gelding, 4 Years old, he has a Switch Tail, a hanging Mane, and branded on the near Buttock TR (join'd in one.)

Alſo, a likely Black Mare, 2 Years old, with a ſmall white Snip on her Noſe. She was neither dock'd nor branded when ſtolen.

Whoever will give Information to the Subſcriber of the ſaid Creatures, ſo that he may get them again, ſhall have Ten Shillings Reward for each, or Fifteen Shillings for each if brought home; and for apprehending and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon who ſtole the ſaid Creatures, Four Pieces of Eight, paid by JOHN CAMBELL.

SUPPOSED to be Stolen from the Subſcriber, on the 23d Day of *April* laſt, a Dark Bay Horſe, a natural Pacer, with a Switch Tail, and a long hanging Mane, not branded as can be remembered. There was on him, an half worn Saddle, with a Flannel Saddle Cloth, and a New Curb Bridle. Whoever ſecures the Horſe, Saddle and Furniture, ſo that the Subſcriber may have them again, ſhall be entitled to a Reward of Twenty Shillings Currency. HENRY GASSAWAY.

WANTED,

IN the Prerogative Office, a ſober diligent young Man, who can write a good Hand: Such a one will meet with good Encouragement, on applying to JOHN DAVIDGE.

Cæcil County, *April* 1, 1762.

DROPP'D near the Narrows of *Eaſtern-Neck-Iſland*, on the 11th of *March*, and ſuppoſed to be pick'd up by one *Daniel Peck*, a Shallop-man, belonging to *Talbot* County, a middle ſiz'd SILVER WATCH, the Maker's Name *Peter Upjohn* or *Upjohns*, *Biddeford*; the Number forgot. It ſhews the Day of the Month. When loſt there was to it a ſmall Steel Chain, a Steel Seal, the Figure on which is a flying Eagle. The Chain of the Watch was broke, ſo that ſhe could be of no Service till repaired; it is therefore hoped, any Watchmaker, or other, into whoſe Hands ſhe may come, will ſtop her, ſo that the Owner may have her again, for which they ſhall receive a Reward of Twelve Dollars from Mr. *William Faris* in *Annapolis*, or ROBERT MERCER.

YOUNG TRAVELLER Covers Mares this Seaſon at Two Guineas. He is a fine ſtrong Horſe, upwards of Sixteen Hands high, was bred by Col. *Taſker*, and got by Mr. *Moreton*'s *Traveller* out of *Miſs Colvill*. HENRY ROZER.

Bladenſburg, *February* 1, 1762.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY, for raiſing the Sum of Two Hundred and Twenty Pounds, for removing ſeveral Shoals, in the *Eaſtern-Branch* of *Patowmack*, from the Wharf at *Bladenſburg* downwards, and from thence to the Bridge upwards, and for enlarging the Wharf:

THE SCHEME.

		Pounds.		*Pounds.*
1	of	100	is	100
2	of	50	are	100
5	of	20	are	100
10	of	10	are	100
30	of	5	are	150
152	of	1 : 10	are	228
1	First drawn Blank			1
1	Laſt drawn Blank			1
202	Prizes,			780
1798	Blanks.	Sum raiſed		220
2000	Tickets at 10 *s.* each, are			1000 *£.*

AS the Sum wanted is but ſmall, and the Number of Tickets are few, the Proportion of Prizes to the Blanks could not be increaſed without making the Prizes ſo ſmall as to render them not worth the Acceptance of the Adventurers. But as the Price of the Tickets is low, and the deſigned Application of general Benefit to all intereſted in Navigation, it's hoped this Scheme, for raiſing the Sum wanted, will meet with Encouragement from both the Merchant and Planter.

The Managers are, Meſſrs. *Chriſtopher Lowndes*, *John Row*, *Thomas Chittam*, *Richard Henderſon*, *Francis Hatfield*, *Daniel Stephenſon*, *Richard Whittle*, *Thomas Gantt*, junr. (one of the firſt Commiſſioners for laying out *Bladenſburg*), and *David Roſs*: They will give Bond for their faithful Performance, and act upon Oath in the Diſcharge of the Truſt repoſed in them.

Notice of the Time of Drawing, at *Bladenſburg*, will be given in this GAZETTE. Prizes not demanded in Six Months after Publication of the Numbers, will be deemed as generouſly given to the Deſign.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office in *Annapolis*.

N. B. Dollars, Piſtoles, or *Pennſylvania* Currency, will be received as they now paſs, for Tickets; and the Prizes paid off in like Manner.

To be LET, and Enter'd on immediately,

THE Houſe wherein Mr. *John Carnan* lately dwelt, ſituate in a very convenient Part of *Baltimore-Town*, being a good Brick Dwelling, having a Kitchen and Cellar, two large Parlours, and four Chambers; a Brick Smoak-Houſe; a Fram'd Stable; and three Acres of Ground incloſed within a Poſt and Rail Fence; and a good Garden paled in.

Alſo, a Plantation ſituate on the great Road to the Fork of *Gunpowder*, ſcarce three Miles from *Baltimore-Town*, having two Meadows, a Barn, two Fram'd Houſes, fit for a Dwelling-Houſe and Quarter, and other neceſſary Out-Houſes; and clear'd Land ſufficient for a good Farm.

For Terms apply to Mr. JOHN RIDGELY, in *Baltimore-Town*.

BOOK-BINDING, in the neateſt Manner, perform'd at the *Printing-Office*, by
WILLIAM POULTNEY.

BY Virtue of an Act, made and paſſed at the late Seſſion of Aſſembly of this Province, Notice is hereby given, That there will be expoſed to Sale to the higheſt Bidder, on Tueſday the 10th
3 Day of *Auguſt* next enſuing, A LOT of Ground, N°. 102, ſituate on the Northeaſt Part of the City of *Annapolis*, with the three Dwelling Houſes thereon. The Sale to be on the Premiſes, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon.

WILLIAM CLAJON,
MARY CLAJON, Adminiſtratrix.

Anne-Arundel County, *April* 12th, 1762.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away laſt Night from the *Patapſco* Furnace, near *Elk-Ridge* Landing, Two *Engliſh* Convict Servant Men, *viz.*

George Seymour, aged near 50 Years, 6 Feet high, ſpare made, thin Viſage, ſandy Complexion, and thick of Hearing. Had on a white Kerſey Jacket and Breeches, a green Half-Thick under Jacket, Felt Hat, Oſnabrigs Shirt, grey ribb'd Yarn Hoſe, and Country-made Shoes.

Stephen Hawkes, aged about 27 Years, near 6 Feet high, ſpare made, thin Viſage, yellow Complexion (having lately had the Ague and Fever). Had on a brown Fearnought Jacket, green Half-Thick under Jacket and Breeches, old Dowlas Shirt, Felt Hat, brown mix'd Worſted Hoſe, Country-made Shoes, and plain Braſs Buckles. They pretend to be uſed to the Sea.

There is miſſing two Horſe Kind (which 'tis ſuppoſed they have;) the one a low well-ſet Sorrel, with a flaxen Mane, and bob Tail, a Star in his Forehead, branded on the near Buttock, but the Form forgot. The other a young Brown Bay
3 Mare, about 12 Hands high, two white Feet, a ſmall Blaze in her Face, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock, but the Form not perceptible.
X

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Servants and Horſe Kind, ſo that they may be had again, ſhall receive, if 10 Miles from Home, Twenty Shillings; if 20 Miles, Thirty Shillings; if 40 Miles, Fifty Shillings; and if out of the Province, Four Pounds Currency for each of the Two Men more than the Law allows, and Twenty Shillings for each of the two Horſe Kind, and reaſonable Charges allowed, if brought to the ſaid Furnace, of Mr. *Thomas Harriſon* and Company, by

JOSEPH WATKINS.

N. B. 'Tis ſuppoſed they are in Company with Two other Servant Men, as ſuch are miſſing, and were ſeen with them the Evening before they went off. Both of thoſe wear their own Hair, of a brown Colour, and have light colour'd Coats. They will probably change their Cloaths, as I am informed *Seymour* was ſeen with a blue Jacket.

COMMITTED to the Cuſtody of the Sheriff of *Baltimore* County, in *October* laſt, as a Runaway, a Perſon who ſays his Name is *John Wilſon*, and that his Maſter lives in *Virginia*, not
3 far beyond *Patowmack*, but low down. He appears to be about 25, is ſhort and well made, of a fair Complexion; and is but a ſimple Fellow.

His Maſter may have him again, on paying Fees, and applying to

AQUILA HALL, Sheriff.

BROKE, or rather burnt out of *Prince-George's* County Goal, on Sunday Night the 18th of *April* laſt, a Woman named *Catharine Harlin*, committed on Suſpicion of Felony, of a middle Size, very talkative, and has grey Eyes. Her Apparel very indifferent, an old Country Cloth
3 ſtrip'd Petticoat, and the Body of an old Plad Gown. She has neither Shoes, Stockings, nor Cap. She formerly lived in *St. Mary's* County, and ſince at *Bladenſburg*; but was taken up and committed from *Broad-Creek* in the County aforeſaid. Whoever takes up the ſaid Woman, and brings her to *Upper-Marlborough*, ſhall have One Piſtole Reward, paid by BENJAMIN BROOKES.

WANTED,

3 A BRICK-MAKER, who underſtands his Buſineſs. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*.

GOOD Entertainment for Men and Horſes, with good Boats for Paſſengers to paſs and repaſs to *Annapolis*, kept by the Subſcriber at *Broad-Creek* Ferry, on *Kent-Iſland*. He has alſo very good Paſturage for Horſes. The Subſcriber having been uſed to the Sea, has good Experience in Boats. 3 THOMAS RIMMER.

April 15, 1762.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near Mr. *Richard Snowden's* Iron-Works, a Servant Man named *Philip Mobs*, aged about 27 Years, of a dark Complexion, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high. Had on when he went away, a white Holland Shirt, black Everlaſting Breeches, a Damaſk Waiſtcoat, a full trimm'd Foreſt Cloth Coat, with Mohair Buttons, Country made Shoes, and Yarn Stockings. He has loſt one of his fore Teeth by Fighting. He took with him a ſmall Iron Grey Horſe, a good Bridle, and a Saddle with a blue Houſing.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and will bring him to the Subſcriber, or cauſe him to be committed to any Goal in this Province, ſo that he may be had again, ſhall be paid Thirty Shillings, by 3 EDMUND JENINGS.

RAN away on the 8th Day of *March* laſt, two Servant Men, one of which is the Property of the Hon. *John Tayloe*, Eſq; of *Richmond* County, in *Virginia*, an *Iriſhman* named *James Connor*, who ſpeaks good *Engliſh*, aged about 24 Years, is a well made ſmall Fellow, hath grey Eyes, and profeſſes to be a Shoemaker by Trade, tho' knows very little of the Buſineſs. Had on when he went away, a brown Wig, an Olive colour'd Coat, and a blue Jacket and Breeches.

The other Servant is the Property of Col. *William Brockenbrough* of the ſame County, named *Richard Dring*, 50 Years of Age, about 5 Feet high and very well made, is pitted with the Small Pox, hath black Hair, by Trade a Taylor, and talks very thick. Had on when he went away, a white half-trimm'd Cloth Coat, black Pluſh Jacket and Breeches much worn, *Virginia* made Shoes, or turn'd Pumps.

It's ſuppoſed they went off in Company.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Servants, ſo as they may be had again, ſhall receive Three Pounds Reward; and if brought to the Subſcriber at the *Neabſco* Iron-Works, or to their ſaid Maſters, ſhall receive Five Pounds Reward for each or either of them, if taken within this Colony; or Seven Pounds for each or either of them if taken out of it, and all reaſonable Charges, paid by

3 THOMAS LAWSON.

DRIVER, a fine ſtrong Horſe, near 15 Hands high, got by *Othello*, his Dam by *Old Spark*, his Grand-dam by the late Governor OGLE's *Barb*, Covers for Thirty Shillings; and thoſe Mares that do not prove with Foal, may have the Benefit of next Seaſon for Ten Shillings.

3 ROBERT TYLER.

THE ALEXANDRIA annual Purſe of FIFTY POUNDS, will be Run for, on Thurſday the 27th of *May* Inſt. the beſt in Three Heats, by any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding; 14 Hands to carry 10 Stone, all above and below that Standard, Weight for Inches. And,

On the Day following, will be Run for, a Purſe of TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS, the ſame Diſtance, by 4 Year old Colts; 14 Hands to carry 9 Stone, above and below that Standard, Weight for Inches.

The Horſes to be Entered on the Monday before the Race, with the Managers, Mr. *William Ramſay*, Mr. *James Lawrie*, and Mr. *John Kirkpatrick*; each Horſe to pay Fifty Shillings Entrance the Firſt Day, and Twenty-five Shillings for the ſecond Day; and thoſe who do not Enter their Horſes on the Monday aforeſaid, to pay Double Entrance.

Three Horſes to ſtart, or no Race. 3

All Differences that may ariſe, will be decided by the Managers.

GREAT-BRITAIN, a fine young Dray Horſe from *England*, upwards of 16 Hands high, and remarkably ſtrong, will Cover Mares this Seaſon at Two Piſtoles. Good Paſturage for Mares. 4 JOSEPH SIM.

The famous Horſe AERIEL,

WILL Cover Mares this Seaſon, at Mr. *William Digges's* on *Patowmack*, at Two Guineas the Seaſon. Good Paſturage for Mares. 3X

March 30, 1762.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Subſcriber's Plantation, near the *Eaſtern-Branch* Ferry in *Prince-George's* County, the 27th Inſtant, Two likely Dark Bay Horſes: One of them is a large well-ſet Horſe, with large Legs, and one of his hind Feet and part of his Leg white, is ſhod all round, is a natural Pacer, and branded on the near Buttock I U, or ſomething like it, he has a Switch Tail, and a large buſhy Mane, which wanted trimming. The other Horſe about 13
4 Hands high, trots, gallops and paces, and has a remarkable Caſt with his fore Legs when he gallops, has a bob Tail, and his Mane has been lately trimmed; his Brand, if any, forgot.

Whoever will bring the ſaid Horſes to the Subſcriber's Houſe, ſhall have Twenty Shillings Reward for each. JONATHAN SLATER.

NOTICE is hereby given, That any Perſon or Perſons, inclinable to undertake the Building of a Wharf, with Stone, on the North-
4 Eaſt Side of the Dock of *Annapolis*, from Mr. *Middleton's* Wharf to the Inſpecting Houſe on the Point, may be informed of the Terms, on Application to

NICHOLAS MACCUBBIN,
WILLIAM ROBERTS,
SAMUEL MIDDLETON,
LANCELOT JACQUES.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Wedneſday the Sixteenth of June *next, at the Houſe of* Arthur Charlton, *in* Frederick-Town, *in* Frederick *County*,

THE following Tracts of LAND, late the Eſtate of Mr. *James Wardrop*, deceaſed, all lying in *Frederick* County.

	Acres.
One Tract called *Hazard*, lying on *Little Conococheague*, containing - -	790
One Ditto called *Partnerſhip*, lying on the Weſt Side of *Manockaſy*, below the Upper Ford, - - - - - - - -	280
Dear Bought, lying on a Draught of *Anti-Eatam*, near the Head of a Spring at *Thomas Anderſon's* old Place, - -	500
Green Spring, lying on the Eaſt Side of a Run about 50 Perches below the *Green Spring*, - - - - - - - -	210
Cool Spring, lying about a Mile from *John Burgeſs's*, and near the main Road that leads thro' *Frederick-Town*, - -	75
Nut Spring, lying about 8 Miles from *Frederick-Town*, on a Run call'd *Mill-Creek*, that runs into *Kittockton Creek*,	114
John's Delight, lying on a ſmall Run called *Curry's Branch*, at the Foot of *Shanendore Mountain*, near *Curry's Gap*,	104
Bloomſbury, lying Half a Mile from *John Burgeſs's* Houſe, - - - - -	104
Piney Hill, lying about 8 Miles above the Mouth of *Conococheague*, on the Eaſt Side of *Lick Run*, near *Patowmack* River,	86
Brentford, lying near *John George Arnold's*, on the Weſt Side of the Road leading from *Conococheague* to *Frederick-Town*, - - - - - - - - -	35
Oxford, lying near a Branch called *John Chryſtee's Spring Branch*, on the North Side of the main Road leading thro' *Frederick-Town*, by *Robert Evans's*,	54
Red Oak Level, joining to a Tract of Land called *Needwood*, formerly laid out for Col. *Thomas Creſap*, - - - -	100

For Title, or Terms of Sale, apply to

JAMES DICK.

WHEREAS the Act of Aſſembly of this Province, made and paſſed in 1733, *for emitting and making current Ninety Thouſand Pounds*, is near Expiring; The Commiſſioners of the Loan Office therefore think it their Duty, to inform all 63
thoſe who have any Bonds in that Office, to come and diſcharge the ſame; otherwiſe they will be proceeded againſt as the Law directs.

Signed per *Order*,
ROBERT COUDEN, Cl. P. C. Office.

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